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If not, vote no. Okay, Clerk will record.

CLERK: Who moved to raise?

PRESIDENT: Richendifer to raise the Call.

CLERK: 42 ayes, 1 nay to raise the Call.

PRESIDENT: The Call is raised. It is the Chair's understanding that there is some motion involving LB649?

CLERK: Well, Senator Stromer is not present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Stromer in the chamber? Well, we'll pass over LB649 then.

CLERK: Read LB665. There are committee amendments, Mr. President. There are corrected committee amendments. Some by Senator Maresh, I suppose a motion to reject the committee amendment and approve the corrected committee amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Maresh.

SENATOR MARESH: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature. This bill was drafted incorrectly and the committee amendments are the bills so I'll let Senator Carsten explain the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Fred Carsten.

SENATOR F. CARSTEN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. To begin with, I...the first section or first paragraph of the committee amendments should be rejected. Now there are two paragraphs to the committee amendment. I don't know for sure how you do it. It's simply a motion to reject paragraph one of the committee amendments?

PRESIDENT: Yes, sir, that's all it takes.

SENATOR F. CARSTEN: All right, I move....paragraph one of the committee amendments be rejected.

PRESIDENT: Go ahead, sir. Is there any further discussion? Senator Kelly. The motion before us is to reject the first paragraph of the committee amendments.

SENATOR KELLY: Mr. President, a question of Senator Carsten?

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Fred Carsten, do you yield?

SENATOR KELLY: Senator Carsten, I would ask your why?

SENATOR F. CARSTEN: I believe that will damage the bill, Senator Kelly. I think it's going to cause confusion and hurt the bill.

SENATOR KELLY: Well, thank you very much, Senator. When we were hearing this in committee, my inquiry of the Department of Labor of what was the definition of an employee and employer under the minimum wage law in the State of Nebraska, the response was that they read the statute to me. I asked how they administered this act in the State of Nebraska and they said they used the payroll and this meant that if you had four people on your payroll, you're covered by the